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Ms. Teresa Bingham Chief, U.S. Carrier Licensing Division U.S. Department of Transportation Room 6412, X-44 400 Seventh Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20590

Re:

Docket 0ST-2001-9776, Application of Atlas Air. Inc. for an Exemption

Dear Ms. Bingham:

As you know, Atlas Air, Inc. recently filed an application in the above referenced docket for an exemption to serve additional points in Brazil. I am writing to advise you of the results of the poll we have conducted.

American, Continental, Delta, FedEx and United representatives have authorized us to state that their carriers do not object to the Atlas request. Additionally, Gemini, Polar and UPS have filed answers indicating no objection.

Atlas does not intend to file a reply to the Gemini, Polar and UPS answers. In view of the lack of opposition and the need Atlas has for the authority in question, we respectfully request that the Department grant the Atlas exemption application as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

Russell E. Pommer

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